

United States District Court  
Middle District of Tennessee  
Nashville TN Division

Rec'd  
1/2/14  
AP

United States of America

v.

JOSUE CASTRO PINEDA

CASE NO. 3:13-cr-00082

Judge HAYNES

ON PLEA

This motion  
is DENIED

Motion for Court Appointed Attorney

as moot based  
upon the defendant

Comes now the "pro se" applicant Josue Castro Pineda and moves this court for appointment of competent counsel and to remove my counsel that this court appointed for lack of performance or concern over in navigating applicant through the legal hurdles involved in this case.

Facts.

~~RECD~~  
1-10-14

Mr. Jude T. Lenahan was appointed to my case on April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2013. I've spoken with my counsel briefly, twice since he's been appointed to my case. Mr. Lenahan doesn't seem interested in helping me with my case. It would be greatly appreciated your honor if you could appoint me another attorney.

Legal Argument

The 6th Amendment to the United States Constitution provides that in criminal prosecutions, the accused shall enjoy the right to have the